

REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 31, 2005, Applicants elect Group 3, claims 14-24, 34-43, and 49-69. Claims 14-24, 34-43, and 49-69 are pending. Claims 1-13, 25- 33, and 44-48 have been canceled herein without prejudice or disclaimer as drawn to a new-elected invention. Applicants reserve the right to pursue these claims in a later application. No new matter is added.

CONCLUSION

On the basis of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that this paper is fully responsive and that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Such action is respectfully requested. If there are any questions regarding these amendments and remarks, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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